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## **ELECTRONIC MAIL MEMO**

Dated January 22, 2004

To: Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs\*

Director, Fish and Wildlife Service Director, National Park Service Director, Geological Survey

Director, Bureau of Land Management Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation

From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management

Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance {Lead}

Subject: Review of Application Ready for Environmental Analysis (over 5MW); Spring

Gap-Stanislaus Project No. 2130-033; Donnells-Curtis Transmission Line Project No. 2118-007; Beardsley/Donnells Project No. 2005-012; and Tulloch

Project No. 2067-020; in Tuolumne and Calaveras Counties, California

(ER 04/50)(Agency due date: March 2, 2004)

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission has requested the Department to review the subject document which is **READY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS**. The document was issued on January 2, 2004, and can be viewed on the Commission's website at: <a href="http://www.ferc.gov">http://www.ferc.gov</a>, using the new **eLibrary (FERRIS) link**.

Please review this application from your particular jurisdiction or special expertise and provide your comments, recommendations, Section 10(j) terms and conditions, Section 4(e) and/or Section 18 prescriptions to this Office by **February 19, 2004.** 

THE DEPARTMENT MUST RESPOND TO THIS REQUEST IN ACCORDANCE WITH FERC REGULATIONS. Therefore, all comments received by the above date will be considered for the Department's letter. Comments and recommendations received after that date may be considered for a possible, supplemental letter to FERC.

This Office will prepare the Department's comments by **February 25, 2004.** <u>Please supply all signed, paper comments and comments on disk or by electronic mail to this Office.</u>

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